

Training Mandates due by 08/31/2021

Licensed Peace Officers *(includes County Sheriffs and Deputy Constables):*

Current 2-year Training Unit: (09/01/19 - 08/31/21):

- ☐ A minimum of 40 hours of training to include the current Legislative Update course #3186.

Current 4-year Training Cycle: (09/01/17 - 08/31/21):

- ☐ Licensed Peace Officers without Intermediate (or higher) Proficiency Certification must complete: Cultural Diversity (#3939), Crisis Intervention (#3843 or #1850), Special Investigative Topics (#3232), De-escalation (#1849).

* Peace Officers first licensed on or after 09/01/2019 are not required to comply with the current 2-year training Continuing Education unit requirements listed above. Peace Officers first licensed on or after 09/01/2017 are not required to comply with the current 4-year training cycle requirements listed above.

Additional mandated courses:

- ☐ Peace Officers first licensed on or after 01/01/2011: Human Trafficking (#3270) within 2 years of initial licensing date – unless the course was included in BPOC.
- ☐ Peace Officers first licensed on or after 01/01/2016: Canine Encounters (#4065) within 2 years of initial licensing date – unless the course was included in BPOC.
- ☐ Peace Officers first licensed on or after 03/01/2016: Interacting with Deaf and Hard of Hearing Drivers (#7887) within 2 years of licensing date – unless the course was included in BPOC.
- ☐ Peace Officers first licensed on or after 04/01/2018: 40-hr CIT (#1850) within 2 years of licensing date – unless course was included in BPOC.
- ☐ Peace Officers licensed PRIOR to 01/01/2018: Civilian Interaction Training Program (#30418) by 01/01/2020. All others within 2 years of initial licensing date – unless course was included in BPOC.

Constables and Deputy Constables:

Constables:

- ☐ New Constable Training (#3742) thru LEMIT within 2 years of being appointed.
- ☐ Continuing Education (#3743) thru LEMIT each 4-year training cycle thereafter.
- ☐ Civil Process (#1415) exclusively thru TJPCA at Texas State University each 4-yr training cycle.

*This mandate overrides the afore mentioned Unit and Cycle requirements, but not the “Additional Mandated Courses”.

Deputy Constables:

- ☐ In addition to the afore mentioned “Licensed Peace Officer” requirements, the Civil Process course (#3131) must be completed each 4-yr training cycle.

Police Chiefs:

- ☐ Must take New Chief’s Training (#3780) within 2 years of appointment.
- ☐ Must take Chief’s Continuing Education (#3740) each Unit, thereafter.

*This mandate overrides the afore mentioned Unit and Cycle requirements, but not the “Additional Mandated Courses”.

County Jailers:

Cultural Diversity course (#3939) every 4-yr training cycle - unless exempted due to proficiency certification level of Intermediate Peace Officer or higher; and Mental Health (#4900) by 8/31/21.

Telecommunicators:

20 hours of continuing education every 2-yr training unit

*For a list of approved equivalent courses go to: <https://www.tcole.texas.gov/content/course-equivalents-0>